

Review

Answer the questions about Use of English Part 3.

- Why is it better to read the whole text before you start trying to fill the gaps?
- Is spelling important in this part of the exam?
- What sorts of changes do you usually have to make?
- If you know that a noun is needed, what other things do you need to think about?

Useful language: spelling correctly

1 Find a word that matches the definition. You are given the first letter. The words are all ones that students frequently misspell.

- a place where you live *a*.....
- a group of people that takes decisions *c*.....
- try to reach a business or political agreement *n*.....
- start (noun) *b*.....
- relating to work that needs special education or training *p*.....

Tip! You need to spell the words you write correctly to gain the marks, so it's worth spending time learning the spellings of words that students typically find difficult.

- suitable *a*.....
- the opposite of boring *i*.....
- the way words are said *p*.....
- essential *n*.....
- get *r*.....

2 Find a word from the word in capitals to fit the gap. The words are all frequently misspelt.

- There are far too many in this magazine.
- The children go to school on the bus.
- Pat was that she didn't get the job.
- Tom has worked for years in a department.
- I think Erica's sculptures are original.
- Sarah has done a course in administration.
- My grandmother had a career as a singer.
- Greg's antics caused his wife much

ADVERTISE
NORM
APPOINT
GOVERN
MARVEL
BUSY
SUCCEED
EMBARRASS

Useful language: noting words from the same root

Fill the gap in each sentence with a word based on the word in capitals for that set.

DEVELOP

- There have been some interesting at work recently.
- Paul has decided he would like to become a property
- Although the north of the country is industrial, the south is relatively

Tip! Write down words formed from the same root in one place to help you remember them.

INTERPRET

- The argument was simply because Matilda totally something I said.
- The rules are vague and open to in different ways.
- Simultaneous earn a good salary but their work can be stressful.

APPLY

- The regulations are to anyone entering the country by sea.
- Dave didn't get a university place in 2007 but he in 2008 and was accepted then.
- How many job did you fill out before you eventually found work?

Follow the exam instructions, using the advice to help you.

For questions 28–37, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line.

There is an example at the beginning (0).

Example: 0 U S U A L L Y

An unusual park

Parks in large cities are (0) thought of as refuges, as islands of green in seas of concrete. Yet the High Line Park in the (28) of Chelsea in New York looks on first (29) like something that urban parks were created to get away from. It's an (30) steel structure supporting an (31) rail line that once brought freight cars right into the city's factories. Now the structure has been turned into an (32) and inviting public park. Walking on the High Line is (33) any other experience in the city. You can sit surrounded by (34) tended plants taking (35) from the views, or you can walk the line as it slices between old buildings and past (36) new ones. I have walked the High Line dozens of times, and the (37) thing is that its vantage point, different from that of any ordinary street, or park, never ceases to surprise and delight.

USUAL

NEIGHBOUR

SEE

ATTRACT

ELEVATE

INNOVATE

LIKE

CARE

ENJOY

STRIKE

REMARK

Advice

28 Think about whether the word is referring to people or a place.

29 Do you need a singular or a plural here?

30 Is a positive or a negative word required here?

31 Try to picture the scene as this will help you find the right word here.

32 Do you need a noun or an adjective here?

33 Do you need a prefix here or not?

34 Remember to think about both grammar and meaning.

35 Which suffix do you need to make this word into a noun?

36 Do you need an adjective or an adverb here?

37 Do you need a positive or a negative word here?